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Damp, but heartfelt tribute

Elk Point Order of the Royal Purple's Honoured Royal Lady Rubyann Kittlitz pauses in silent tribute after placing her organization's wreath at the Elk Point cenotaph on a damp and chilly Remembrance Day morning.

Elk Point remembers in rain

By VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

Umbrellas dotted the crowd and viewers sought shelter along the walls of the Elk Point Seniors' Recreation Centre as rain-dampened military personnel, RCMP and Royal Canadian Legion, BPO Elks and Order of the Royal Purple formed an honour guard at Elk Point's cenotaph Friday for the annual Remembrance Day ceremonies.

Representatives of federal, provincial and local governments, Canadian Forces Wainwright, Legion, RCMP organizations and businesses banked the cenotaph with poppy-laden wreaths, then made a welcome retreat to the Recreation Centre in time for the traditional observance of silent remembrance and the program that followed.

Parker Allen recited "In Flanders Fields," with Fawn Ockerman adding the reply, "We Shall Keep the Faith." Debra McQuinn sang a stirring rendition of "Abide With Me" in tribute to those who have served in the armed forces.

Margaret Modin brought greetings from MP Brian Storseth, "with deepest respect for the men and women in uniform, past and present. May we always remember, and never forget."

MLA Ray Danyluk looked back to the participants on "Remembrance Days past. I thought about the connection between those individuals and today. They impacted this province, and the people around us."

Speaking earlier that morning with fellow MLA Jeff Johnson (Athabasca - Redwater), Danyluk echoed Johnson's comment that Remembrance Day is changing. "We were honouring people from our heritage, today we're honouring those who died in Afghanistan."

Danyluk remarked on the "continuing connection" with the military. His Deputy Minister, Tim Grant, was a major general, Deputy Minister of Finance Tim Wiles was a colonel, he noted. "These are individuals who have done peacekeeping missions and

are now in civilian life. Tim Grant is so much about teamwork, and says without teamwork, he wouldn't be alive today."

Danyluk urged all present to remember "The continuing sacrifice, and the need to recognize it, not only today but every day."

Coun. Bernice Capjack spoke on behalf of the Town of Elk Point and noted, "Our veterans are aging. We have to keep their memories alive." She was pleased to see the children in attendance and taking part in the Remembrance Day observances in the schools, and felt this will help to retain this part of our history. While "we are fortunate that no blood was shed on Canadian soil... many families in our area lost loved ones. Be proud you came today to remember them."

County of St. Paul Coun. Dwight Dach said it was "a day to commemorate the armed forces and civilians who lost their lives in war. The poppies are a remembrance of the blood red flower that still grows on the battlefields; they are a symbol of hope in a time of despair. We must remember the men and women who served bravely and brought honour to their country."

School board trustee Darrell Youngmans mentioned a news story on the stealing of poppy donation boxes and the lack of respect this portrayed. "The bright spot was these thefts inspired an outpouring of donations to Legions. As appalling as these incidents are, they do bring attention to today and remind us how important it is that we continue to honour those who sacrificed so much so we could enjoy the freedoms we have today. Today is also about respecting those who serve today, whether that be here at home or protecting freedoms and democracy abroad."

MCpl. Mitchell from CFB Wainwright remembered "the courage and commitment," of those who have made the ultimate sacrifice, including 158 in Afghanistan.

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Extravaganza planning nearing completion

By VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

Sponsorship continues to trickle in, but the Elk Point Chamber of Commerce will still need to dig deep into its piggy bank of membership fees to pay the balance of expenses for the 2011 Christmas Extravaganza.

The Extravaganza planning committee met last week to report on progress in preparations for the Friday, Nov. 25 event.

One of their expenditures will be for a visit from Sprinkles the Clown, who will entertain children at F. G. Miller High School throughout the evening, with two shows featuring magic, puppets and stories, as well as her imaginative balloon animals. The school is hosting a visit from Clifford the Big Red Dog, a mini petting zoo and a poster contest to entertain the children while they wait to have their photos taken with Santa and Mom enjoys the craft sale.

With multiple activities at F. G. Miller as well as at Elk

Point Outreach School, which is offering a creative babysitting service, complete with crafts and movies, and hosting the Turkey Toss competition next door at the Elk Point Curling Club, those two venues have been designated as additional stops on the wagon ride route. Families will be able to climb aboard at either school, as well as in front of the south Rona location, and get a ride to any of the other locations, or just take the tour of the town.

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HIGHLIGHTS

November 8, 2011 Council Meeting

Strategic Planning Open Houses - The first open house was held on November 7th in Mallaig and 14 residents came out to provide valuable input on the County's 2011 Strategic Plan and offer suggestions for future direction. An open house was held last night in St. Paul and the final one will be held tonight, Tuesday November 15th at the Seniors Centre in Elk Point. Everyone is welcome.

St. Paul Child Care Society - Council denied the request for funding from the St. Paul Child Care Society to assist with the renovations to the Daycare/Dayhome building. The part of the building that they are proposing to renovate will be rented out for private day care operations and Council felt that daycares were provincially funded.

Ashmont/Lottie Lake Project - Matt Brassard from Urban Systems presented preliminary work they did on the Ashmont Water Treatment Plan Upgrade and Ashmont-Lottie Lake Water Transmission Line. Council approved their final report as well as their work program for detail design and construction. In addition, Council approved a review of the residuals that will result from the water treatment process and how that will affect the current lagoon.

Remuneration and Subsistence Rates - Council voted in favor of leaving remuneration and subsistence rates the same as last year.

Planning & Development

- Council gave first reading to two rezoning bylaws. Lot 1, Plan 0021514 will be rezoned from Urban Expansion to Country Residential 2 as the landowner wishes to subdivide the property into two lots. The S 1/2 NE 1-58-9-W4 will be rezoned from Agricultural to Country Residential 1 so the owner can develop two acreages. Both bylaws will be advertised and the adjacent landowners will also be notified.
- The County purchased an 8 acre site in SW 30-60-9-W4 for the new fire hall in the Hamlet of Mallaig. When the 8 acres were subdivided out, the approach that served as an access to the entire property became the access for the subdivision. Council authorized the Public Works department to build a new approach to the balance of the quarter.
- At the request of the lessee, Council revisited the conditions on the lease for Lot 28ER, Block 2, Plan 8023220. Council agreed to waive the setback requirements from the side property lines and from the property line along Scott Drive. The 25 foot setback from the property line adjacent to the water body will remain in effect. Amending the setback requirements, will provide the lessee with adequate room for parking and camping on the property.

Vision, Core Values and Guiding Principles - Council has been working with Urban Systems to develop the following vision "The County of St. Paul is a vibrant community which values a high quality of life, balancing rural heritage with a diverse economy". The core values and guiding principles which have been adopted by Council can be viewed on the County website.

Regional Coyote Reduction Program - Council agreed to participate in a Regional Coyote Reduction Program with the County of Two Hills and the MD of Bonnyville. Both municipalities were part of the program last year and they would like to see all municipalities in the NE Region participate in this program as it has been successful in reducing coyote populations during the livestock calving season. Council will still need to decide on the total budget that they will allocate to this program as well as the amount paid for each individual coyote brought in. The Ag Service Board will be working with the other municipalities and will bring program specifics to the December Council meeting.

- Funding**
- \$500 - Mallaig School for Provincial Cross Country Championship
 - \$10,000 - Town of St. Paul for operating expenses for the Action Bus

Christmas Hours - The County Office will be closed December 26 and 27, 2011 and January 2, 2012.

For more information contact
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Remembrance Day

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Those serving today have rebuilt schools, protected the people of Libya, helped rescue victims of floods in Quebec and Manitoba, wildfires in Alberta and plane crashes in the Arctic. "We have a strong, proud military history. They were proud to serve and we are proud of their service. There are many ways to show our respect, and while two minutes of silence is short, it is long enough to reflect on our pride in our veterans."

Pastor Jim MacLellan, himself a military veteran, said the preceding speakers had reminded all of the need to remember, to reflect and to be thankful. "It is important to take personal responsibility for peace. Sometimes we look at the complexity of a situation and miss the obvious." Wars are blamed on poverty, religion and environment, but Pastor MacLellan quoted from the Gospel of James, "What is causing the quarrels and fights among you... the reason you fight is that you can't get what you want." In closing, he noted, "The heart of the problem of war is the heart."

Parrish Tung, who served as MC for the ceremonies, thanked the speakers, all who attended, and the Pioneer Circle for the use of their facility and for the lunch that followed.

Extravaganza passports coming soon

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This year, the Extravaganza Passports shoppers will use to enter for the major prizes will be part of the Extravaganza flyer, which will be in local mailboxes next Tuesday. The passports, which will be stamped at participating businesses when a shopper makes a minimum \$20 purchase, can only be used on Extravaganza day, with filled passports to be deposited in the draw barrel at the Elk Point Co-op.

The draw will be made at 10 p.m. that evening at the Co-op for prizes of \$1,000, \$500 and \$300 in Elk Point Bucks, redeemable for purchases at the participating businesses.

The committee worked their way through the whole list of activities planned for the evening.

Hot dog sales, with complimentary hot chocolate, will be held at both the Outreach School, as a fundraiser for their field trip program, and at Serrus Credit Union, where the proceeds will go to help the Se. Paul and Community Benefit committee to support local families in need.

F. G. Miller's 2012 grad class will once again be out selling 50-50 tickets during the evening.

The traditional big bonfire, with the fire pit and wood supplied by the town and supervision by the Elk Point Volunteer Fire Department, will be located at the intersection of 49 Ave. and 50 Street.

The evening will once again wind up with a bright and beautiful fireworks display, as Elk Point Chamber of Commerce kicks off another Christmas season with a bang.

Watch your mailbox next week for the flyer listing all the times and locations you won't want to miss!

UPCOMING AUCTIONS

- **Regular Livestock Sales** held every Tuesday starting at 10:30 am.
- **Thurs., Nov. 17** - Horse Sale 6:00 pm
- **Sat., Nov. 19** - Closing Out Sale for Westend Bingo Hall, St. Paul, 10:00 am
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No re-tiering yet for Atom 1, Peewees to host tourney

Today's column is dedicated to the arrival of the newest addition to our family; our granddaughter the beautiful "Princess 2.0" Farrah Abigail Colbourne, born at 1 a.m. Nov 9th weighing in at 8 lbs and 20 inches with dark hair. (And lots of it too!)

I stand to be corrected. Last week I reported that the Atom Tier 1 team would be re-tiered after last weekend, but apparently I was wrong, the league in its wisdom wants to give them another five or six games before they do their re-tiering, just in case they might be sand-baggers and not showing their best stuff yet. Not sure who really benefits from winning or losing this badly, but who knows maybe I was wrong all along to think these guys belong in Tier 2.

The Tier 1 Atoms took to the ice against Lac La Biche on Saturday afternoon and surprised everyone, including the visiting Clippers; getting on the board early with two goals by Dylan "the Destroyer" Ference, and singles by Connor "Coast to Coast" Lychak and Hayden "Hot Wheels" Ludlage. The Avalanche were winning this game 4 to 3 at this point, thanks partly to goaltender Darrian "the Dominator" Rybchinsky who was on top of his game, kicking the puck aside, keeping the game close. In the second period, the Avalanche started to slide downhill, the Clippers came out strong and tied the game after 40 minutes, then really put on the pressure in the third, adding four unanswered goals; the final 8 to 4 for the Clippers. Much better than the majority of the games they have played so far this season.

It was one heck of a game for the Novice Avalanche on Saturday morning against the Saddle Lake Warriors. The play was up and down and back and forth, but the score was close all the way through, "Lightning Liam" Ludlage scored two goals, both assisted by Luke "Skywalker" Poulin. Defenseman Jace Stafford with a nifty move behind his own net, he then came streaking down the wing, setting up Charlie "Little Angel" Rogal who buried one. The Avalanche had outshot the Warriors, but the game was still tied until Jenna "Precious" Poitras on a breakaway found Slader Hardcastle open in front, she put the puck tape to tape on Slader's stick and he fired a one-timer into the back of the net and gave the Avalanche the 4 to 3 lead. Goaltender Jaden Van Maaron was outstanding in the final few minutes, taking one right off the mask and another high one to the chest that didn't even fizz on him, the Warriors on the doorstep came knocking, but he slammed the door shut, locked the deadbolt and threw away the key. The Avalanche celebrated a well-deserved win.

Unfortunately, it wasn't such a great day at the office for goaltender Erin Duffee; she was bombarded with 89 shots on Saturday afternoon when the Bonnyville Pontiacs came calling to face off against the Avalanche B team, the only goal for the Avalanche coming from "Sam I Am" Henderson in the third period. Bonnyville the number one team in the tier # 3 league has been beating every team by a huge score and will be moving up when the league finally gets around to re-tiering the teams!

On Sunday in Lac La Biche it was another tough outing, they fared a little better against the number two team in the Tier 3 league. "Michelin Man" Parker Allen getting the short straw, drawing the goaltending assignment in this one, he saw his share of the rubber too!

The Micro Novice Avalanche were feeling a little ram-bunctious this weekend and instead of their normal scheduled one game, they played three; playing in St. Paul on

Saturday and then in a tournament in Kitscoty on Sunday. Dean "the Machine" Ockerman and "King Kong Konner" Poitras with a hat tricks against St Paul, Josef Theriault and Joey Cardinal with their first goals ever, Galvin Kaduutski scoring his second of the season, Nicholas Penner, Cash "CC" Capjack, Sam "Spiderman" Rogal, and Jager Fontaine all adding to the scoring.

doug BASSETT

Review Sports

On Sunday in Kitscoty, Vanden Moroziuk gets his first of the season, Brady Hymanik getting his first goal ever, Josef Theriault adding another, "King Kong Konner" Poitras and the "Spiderman" with hat tricks. Some great fore checking by Rylee Warawa, Lenae Peebles, Grace Peebles, Jayci Marcoux, Nevur Howe and Halle Moroziuk.

It's a big learning curve when players move up to Peewees and start body checking. It takes time for the players to adjust, but the Pee wee Avalanche coaching staff, head coach Dwayne Odgaard and his assistants Rodney Graus and Kevin McGillivray have worked very hard at practice, going over the details of the game and the execution of plays, the team is buying in and it is really starting to pay off.

Over in Mallaig on Saturday afternoon the Pee wee Avalanche had a challenge ahead of them. Not only were they playing the team that had defeated them in last year's provincial round robin, but the team was missing four key players out of the line up. Down early 4 to 0 in the penalty filled first, the Avalanche battled back in the second to make it 4 to 3. Brodin "the Bull" Ference with two, Ross "Rosy" McGillivray with a goal and an assist on Austin "Ozzie" Stafford who found the twine with one. The final, a respectable 6 to 4 for Mallaig. Playing on defense is tough, Taylor Pankiw, Cyle Graus, Warren Ference and Amy Harms work hard, every minute of every game, but it's the same old story, working in the trenches there's no glory.

This coming weekend the Pee wees will be hosting a four-team tournament, the first Elk Point pee wee tournament in some years, t on Saturday and Sunday, be sure to come out and watch these guys in action, and especially make a point to come see the skills competition at 12.30 p.m. on Saturday.

And now for the K.A.Campbell quote of the week: "It was such a trouncing that during a 1994 playoff game, half the fans in the Gardens had filed out and were enjoying the city's other favorite form of entertainment- watching the traffic lights change." Last week's answer to: "Your Honor, I was simply taking the Cup back to Montreal where it belongs." - A Montreal fan who was trying to steal the cup in 1961. Do you have a sports scoop? Now you can email them to sportshound007@hotmail.com



Vicki Brooker photo

County Scholarship

Coun. Dwight Dach presented a \$800 scholarship on behalf of the County of St. Paul No. 19 to 2011 F. G. Miller High School graduate Seanna Ewasiuk on Saturday, to assist with her university studies in the field of pharmacy.

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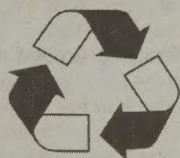
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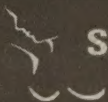
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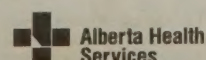


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EDITORIAL

Only a memory

Looking back through the years at the coverage of past Remembrance Days, it is sad to note that the majority of those veterans who so proudly stood at attention at our cenotaph are no longer with us, their reminiscences about their experiences in overseas conflicts becoming an ever-fading memory for those who heard their stories.

Some of those veterans themselves are easier to remember, they saw to it when they brought about the creation of the handsome cenotaph where we now place our wreaths of remembrance. Its 'eternal' flame is only lit one brief morning a year, but it is a spark that rekindles our memories of these dedicated individuals and the role they played in our community not that many years ago. It is up to us to remember them, and to pass on the story of their contributions to future generations, lest they, too be forgotten.

WAY BACK WHEN...

Highway closed, Fidler dedicated, vigilance needed

Here's the news that made the headlines of the Lakeland Review and the Elk Point Review for the week of Nov. 15 in...

1986

The eight-week closure of Highway 41 through Elk Point was especially hard on businesses in the southernmost two blocks of the construction area, with dramatic drops in income. A planned increase in check-off fees by the Alberta Cattle Commission irked area cattle producers, who spoke out about the issue at the commission's meeting in Elk Point.

1991

Elk Point's new landmark, the carved wood statue of Hudson's Bay Company surveyor Peter Fidler, was installed and dedicated with a sweetgrass ceremony attended by a number of Fidler descendants. RCMP Sgt. Pat Muzzeral placed the first wreath at Elk Point's Remembrance Day ceremonies on the mildest Nov. 11 in a number of years.

1996

Elk Point Liquor and Cold Beer Store was named Business of the Year by the Elk Point Chamber of Commerce, with Hilltop Service and Quality Time Bus Lines also nominated for the award. Plans for an oilfield waste processing facility were unveiled by Newalta Corporation at an open house at Landonville Hall.

2001

World War II veterans Sid Holthe, Carl Dembicki and Bruce Hovdestad were guests of honour at F. G. Miller High School's Remembrance Day ceremony, where Holthe spoke on the need for vigilance in light of the devastating events of Sept. 11. Elk Point chamber of commerce president Eugene Buck noted that, "disgruntled members and non-members are more than welcome at our meetings; if you think the chamber is ineffectual, join it and make it better."

2006

Elk Point Elementary School and F. G. Miller High School students remembered the contributions of very special Canadians as they hosted Remembrance Day observances. RCMP Sgt. Darryl Eagles outlined the Elk Point Detachment's 2007 performance plan, with the DARE Program, bullying intervention program and support of activities for youths, as well as curbing illegal drug use, on the to-do list.



GUEST COLUMN

Who's responsible?

Have you ever had any questions about what causes earthquakes? Did you know that current efforts to predict earthquakes are similar to what weather forecasting was like in the 19th century, says Utah State University geophysicist Anthony "Tony" Lowry. "Earthquakes, mountain-building and other expressions of continental tectonics depend fundamentally on how rocks flow in response to stress," says the assistant professor, who joined USU's Department of Geology in 2006. "But we don't yet have the tools to reach into the Earth's depths and measure temperature, rock flow, fluid content and other properties needed to understand these processes."

Think you're standing on solid ground? Think again. Miles beneath our feet, rock reaches the consistency of taffy under intense heat and pressure. Like placing a heavy stone into mud, the weight of large loads, such as piling of sediments or volcanic flows on the Earth's surface, cause gooey hot rock-at-depth to ooze horizontally and stretch and pull the Earth's crust like skin. Weather cycles move a lot of water mass around the Earth's surface and changes in atmospheric pressure also impact rock stress at depth.

Closer to home, Lowry continues to ponder processes that build up towering peaks, cause plunging ravines and rip foundations from beneath our feet. And he thinks a particular mineral – hard and transparent – may hold the key. New findings by Lowry and colleague Marta Pérez-Gussinyé of Royal Holloway, University of London shed surprising light on these restless rock cycles. "It all begins with quartz," says Lowry. "Over the last few decades, we've learned that high temperatures, water and abundant quartz are all critical factors in making rocks flow more easily," Lowry says. "But until now, we haven't had the tools to measure these factors and answer long-stand questions."

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EASTHOPE
from the FCSS desk

"If you've ever traveled westward from the Midwest's Great Plains toward the Rocky Mountains, you may have wondered why the flat plains suddenly rise into steep peaks at a particular spot," Lowry says. "It turns out that the crust beneath the plains has almost no quartz in it, whereas the Rockies are very quartz-rich. We think those belts of quartz could be the catalyst that sets the mountain-building rock cycle in motion."

The above information is only a short summer of Lowry's research, but the new thought seems to be that "quartz" is responsible. How about that! Who would have thought a rock type is to blame – oh whoops, I mean responsible!

With November being the month of Family Violence Awareness Month, my thoughts are around such questions: "Who's responsible in a family when family violence is involved?" We can't say it is a rock like quartz that might be responsible. But, maybe we can say that it is something under the surface – meaning something that isn't obvious or seen, that is responsible.

For example, in some families, abuse takes place. We might think abuse only takes place when an adult person gives it to anyone else in the family. But, wait a minute. What about the possibility of a child abusing a parent? About a month ago, while I was in the checkout line of a major department store in Edmonton, a child was trying to convince his parent that he wanted a certain item. The parent was trying to tell him that she wasn't buying the item. The child then proceeded to stage a big display of repeated emotional usage of the words that he wanted the item. This family did make it out of the store without buying the item. However, it didn't end. As I left the store, the child was staging his display of "I want" outside of the store. I was embarrassed for the mom. Should I have gotten involved? Not knowing all the details of the family dynamics, or possible repercussions of involvement on my part, I chose not to get involved. It was safer not to become involved. But meanwhile, the problem of "I want" abuse the Mom had to deal with, still continued.

It is one thing to research what might cause earthquakes, but the research involved in how to stop abuse in a family also has something underneath that might be causing the problem. Is the quartz rock responsible? No! But I think you can say, it is something underneath that is responsible.

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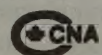
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F. G. Miller High School Grade 12 students presented a meaningful and solemn program of remembrance for their fellow students, school staff and special guests.

FGM remembers

By VICKI BROOKER
Review Staff

A candlelit ceremony of solemn remembrance was held Wednesday at F. G. Miller High School, where 14 Grade 12 students presented a meaningful portrayal of the sacrifices made by Canada's armed forces in the two World Wars, Korea and more recent conflicts.

Royal Canadian Legion members Ron Fraess, Del Smith, Harold Lefebvre and Roger Freeman started off the ceremony with the placing of a poppy-decked wreath.

Hollie Warkentin led the singing of O Canada before Josh Aarbo welcomed invited guests, parents and students to the ceremony, and thanked the legion members for their attendance.

Kelsey Lindquist read a poem written by her great-uncle, telling his reflections on being the part of the Battle of Vimy Ridge.

Dino Meger gave a brief history of World War I, where nine million in uniform lost their lives. The world would never be the same again. Poisonous gas made the fighting even more treacherous. Major battles included the Somme and Vimy Ridge. "Nearly one in 10 Canadians fought in World War I," Meger said, "and our nationhood was purchased by their

efforts."

Five students lit tall taper candles at centre stage, with Alyssa Harms and Josh Aarbo telling the significance of each. Dino Meger lit the candle signifying hope, Brandon Ziomek the candle for love, Bailey Oster for peace, Amber Ference for dedication and Kelsey Vinge for freedom.

Nickelback's video, "Far Away," brought tears to more than a few eyes before Kelsey Vinge returned to the stage to read a poem, "Gone But Not Forgotten."

Bailey Oster outlined the events of World War II, where more than 50 million armed forces and civilians lost their lives, while countless others survived physical and emotional wounds. "It was six years the world would never forget," she commented, giving details of such battles as Juno Beach and D-Day.

Videotaped interviews with veterans in more recent conflicts were followed by the poem, "Please Wear A Poppy," read by Bailey Oster, before Brandon Ziomek spoke on more recent involvements, such as Afghanistan.

Seanna Leaf and Kelsey Lindquist told of an interview they had had with Elk Point Elementary School teacher Janelle Richard, whose son Alec is currently serving overseas with the

Canadian Army, continuing a family tradition of service that included his grandfather and uncle. "Her son is making a difference," they concluded.

"In Flanders Fields," read by Amber Ference, was followed by the response, "We Shall Keep the Faith," read by Seanna Leaf.

All stood for the Last Post, two minutes of silence and Reveille. Hollie Warkentin wound up the program with her rendition of Amazing Grace.



MCs Josh Aarbo and Alyssa Harms spoke on the significance of the candles lit by (left to right) Dino Meger, Bailey Oster, Kelsey Vinge, Amber Ference and Brandon Ziomek.



Zachary Mohyluk proudly displayed medals and wartime memorabilia treasured by his family as part of the Remembrance Day observances at F. G. Miller.

"At the going down of the sun, and in the morning, we shall remember them..."

COMING EVENT

E.G. Miller High
20th Annual
TRADE, CRAFT & SCHOLASTIC BOOK SALE
(Extravaganza)
Fri., Nov. 25
5 pm to 10:30 pm
Sat., Nov. 26
10 am to 2 pm
To book call Wendy
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COMING EVENT

Heinsburg Community Club
Annual Christmas Craft, Bake Sale & Trade Show
in the
Heinsburg Hall
Sat., Dec. 3, 2011
10:00 am to 4:00 pm
To book tables
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OBITUARY

SCOTT, Mark Marvin

August 23, 1956 - November 10, 2011

Mark passed away at home surrounded by his loving wife and children, after a very courageous fight with cancer. Mark is survived by his loving wife Charlene and their two children Mark Jr., Abby and his faithful best friend Little Bones at home. He is also survived by his father Roy Scott (Marjorie); his two brothers Randy Scott (Jenny) and Lane Scott; brothers-in-law Lewis McEachren and Derek McEachren (Marlene); step brothers Bruce Robinson (Della) and Sean Robinson (Nancy); his mother-in-law, Lynn Colombe (Elroy) and his father-in-law Robert McEachren (Carolyn); stepfather Terry Gauld (Linda) as well as numerous aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces and nephews. He is predeceased by his mother Laura Haidey; grandma and grandpa Scott; grandma and grandpa Barte and his stepbrother Reg. He is also loved by his many brothers and sisters in our motorcycle and rodeo families. Also all his union brothers in Local 488, also a few very special families and they know who they are. A very special thank you to Dr. Serena Mar and Bey, at the Cross Cancer Institute, Grey Nuns Palliative Care, S.E. Home Care nurses and Dr. Sawyer. A visitation will be held from 6:00 - 8:00 pm on Wednesday November 16, 2011 at Howard & McBride Westlawn Chapel. A Funeral Service will be held at 10:00 am on Thursday November 17, 2011 at Howard & McBride Westlawn Chapel 16310 Stony Plain Road. In lieu of flowers please make any donations to the Cross Cancer Institute 11560 University Ave. Edmonton, AB T6G 1Z2.

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CHURCH SERVICES

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Sunday School - 11:15 a.m.
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Sundays

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Sunday at 11 a.m.

COMING EVENT

Elk Point Heritage Lodge Auxiliary
5338 - 50 Ave., Elk Point
is hosting a
Christmas Bazaar
Sunday, Nov. 20
1 pm - 4 pm
EVERYONE WELCOME

CARD OF THANKS

Thank You

To all the people & friends who were so good to our mother "Helga Vaughan".

Loris and staff at Heritage Lodge, staff at the Elk Point Hospital., Dr.'s Oyebo and Ramful, Rev. Bill Kryznaowski & his wife, Carolyn and staff at Grace Gardens for your kindness and support at this difficult time.

Ray, Roger & Rodney Cousineau & families.

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130. Coming Events

BOW ISLAND 100th Anniversary, June 29, 30 & July 1/2012. Registration form online www.bowisland.com or contact Town of Bow Island 403-545-2522. Parade, slo-pitch tournament, entertainment, fireworks.

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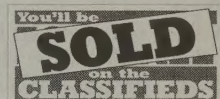
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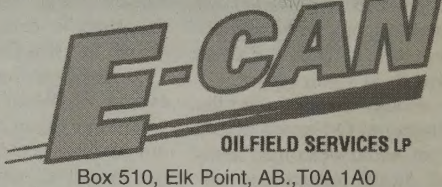
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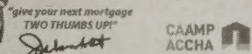
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October busy for the P.U.Ps

By NICOLE PLUNKIE AND
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What has the P.U.P been up to? October was another busy month for the P.U.P group. We had many school spirit days. They consisted of Music Day, World Vegetarian Day, anti-bullying day AKA Wear Pink Day, and on alternating Fridays, house/school colour days. Each student got their name put into a draw for a free hot beverage from the library (Café Readalot). Special thanks to Mrs. Denise Bjorkman for helping out with these special events.

October 31- November 4 was theme week. The themes consisted of Halloween, Tacky Tourist Day, Pajama Day, Twin



Matthew Gormley

Day, and finally Country Day to go with the theme of a barn dance Friday night. Along with having a lot of fun, points were raised for house colors. This kept everybody running to the library to sign in and have Mrs. Bjorkman keep track of the leading house. Mr. Shane Larmand donated his DJ services for the dance. He kept everyone on the dance floor with his great music, helping to raise over \$1,000 to go towards Haying in the '30s later in the school year. Also at the dance, the P.U.Ps collected non-perishable food items for the Christmas Convoy in December which collects non perishable food items for our local food bank. We encouraged all students to bring something. Operation Christmas Child boxes are all made and ready to be sent out. F.G. Miller is partnering with the Baptist Church to help fill shoeboxes for kids worldwide. The deadline to donate the shoeboxes is November 23, 2011. They are asking for items such as school supplies, hygiene items, and toys. Please DO NOT send toothpaste, food, any chewy/gummy candies, used items, liquids, or things that could break, freeze, melt or leak, and any items that could scare or harm children.

To go along with the Christmas spirit we also do

T.K's Toys for Tots. This is when we will be collecting gently used or new stuffed toys for Victims' Services. All the stuffed animals collected will help bring comfort to children in crisis situations.

The Junior P.U.Ps, with the help of Mr. Shane Larmand, are taking the lead on recycling. Mr. Larmand is willing to drive to St. Paul to recycle the paper. We are also collecting Canadian Tire money to help us purchase proper recycling bins for each classroom.

The P.U.Ps are cutting out stamps at lunch to help support "Stamp out Poverty". Stamps are cut, sorted and mailed off to OXFAM who then sell them to collectors. All money made will go to programming and projects in developing countries. OXFAM Canada volunteers raise about \$10,000 a year by sorting and selling stamps to collectors. Almost \$250,000 has been given to OXFAM from the Stamp Program since it started in 1980. You should keep foreign stamps, Canadian stamps, and commemorative stamps. Keep the entire envelope if there are clearly identifiable with town/village postmarks, or registered/special delivery postmarks.

Also don't forget about the 20th Annual Crusader

Trade, Craft, and Scholastic Book Fair. This event takes place on Friday, November 25 from 5 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. and on Saturday, November 26 from 10 a.m. to 2p.m.

Want to get ready for Christmas card time? The P.U.P groups will be selling handmade Christmas Cards to raise money for our Haying in the '30s fundraising campaign. If you are interested in purchasing a set of five beautifully hand-crafted cards, please contact any P.U.P member or Mrs. Bower-Gagne or Miss. Hochachka at F. G. Miller. Your purchase of these cards will help us to raise funds to help families fighting cancer with financial assistance.

Enjoy your November, and stay warm.



Cheyenne Lawrence,
AKA Mr. Boratynec



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